TUESDA. EVENING.

TOPEKA, KANSAS, JANUARY 18, 1898.

TUESDAY EVENING.

It is explained that these notes are

THE THINNEST YET.

Off Trying to Kill the Father

and Wants a Pardon.

Joe Walker, a Ford county lad, sen-tenced to the penitentiary for life, having

been convicted of murder, is seeking a pardon, and the application and accom-

panying papers on file with the state board of pardons state that the murder

for which the lad was convicted was ac-

A RIDE TO PORT ARTHUR.

President Stillwell Invites a Whole

Convention to Be His Guests.

DE KOVEN DYING.

Death at Aiken, S. Carolina.

New York, Jan. 18 .- A telegram re-

ceived in this city from Mrs. Reginald

that city from an attack of gastric fe-

Mr and Mrs. DeKoven left this city

Make the City Pay Its Honest

the supreme court.

A Lawrence paper has been busy circulating a lying story about Topeka's bridge. It will now have an opportunity to discuss repudiation at home.

PARDON ASKED FOR STOOPS

Petitioner Wants to See Husband and

Wife Reunited.

Harry Stoops the Chicago painter who was sent to the pentientiary last fall from Topeka, being convicted of abducting Marjorie Wallace for immoral purposes has made application for a pardon. The case has been filed with the board of pardons.

The petition which is signed by thirty citizens, recites that a great wrong has been committed against Stoops. "His wife, Majorie Wallace Stoops," says the petition, "was coerced in giv-

Topeka Club Assessment.

Debts.

TWO CENTS.

Twenty-Two More Klondikers Arrive From Dawson City.

Bring With Them Gold Dust and Drafts for \$1,000,000.

TALES OF THE YUKON.

Saw the Ice Standing in Cakes Twenty Feet High.

No Question That the Gold Mines Will Be Permanent.

Seattle, Wn., Jan. 18.-Twenty-two persons arrived here last night from Dawson City on the steamer Corona bringing with them a small amount of gold dust and drafts on the North American Trading and Transportation company and the Alaska Commercial company, amounting to between \$500,000

and \$1,000,000. In the party was one woman. She is the second woman to come out this winter.

The amount of drafts brought down represents the proceeds of sales of claims to the Cudahy-Healy Yukon and Winville Winge company and cirilate. Cloudike Mining company and private

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The large individual amounts were brought by the following:

D. Campbell, \$130,000; E. H. Jenkins, \$122,000; Leonard Sedgwick, \$100,000; Andrew Olson, \$120,000; T. E. Brenier, \$46,000; Joe Brand, \$45,000.

In reference to the food situation at Dawson City last night's arrivals corroborates previous reports that while food is scarce there will be no starvation. They consider that it will be impossible to get a relief expedition in at this season of the year. Hellef expeditions can easily reach the foot of Lake Lebarge but the trouble will begin when the Yukon river is reached. The Yukon is filled from shore to shore with great ice ridges from 10 to 20 feet high, the ice being thrown up in great blocks and standing in all sorts of angles. Men with dogs can make their way by hugging the shere but no amount of supplies can be curried with dog teams. A road way can be cut through these ridges but it would require a large amount of money and it is doubtful if the work could be completed before the ice moved out of the river in the spring.

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Heavy snow storms have occurred this week on the Chilcoot pass and travel has been practically impossible for days at a time.

The news brought by the reasure laden miners who have arrived from the Klendike on the steamer Corona is important, chiefly in that it is confirmatory of the discovery of the great mother lode. Weich, Coffin and Burt are authority for the statement that the original strike was made at the upper end of claim No. 30 El Dorado while two stringers, one at No. 27 and another yet lower down were subsequently located. Throughout the district the discovery is accepted as assurance of the permanency of the district as a rich gold mining field. As to the placer diggings, they continue rich. Powder creek, an affluent of Quartz creek, has been having a boom, pans of \$3.75 and \$4 being a common thing. Of course the stream was located as soon as the first important discovery was made. All Gold creek shows page of as the first important discovery wa made. All Gold creek shows pans of \$10 to \$100, while the miners on Hunker creek. Henderson, Dominion, the Elg Salmon and the Stewart all declarathemselves satisfied with the prospect. One of the first men to stake ground on El Dorado and the very last man out of the Klondike country is Andrew Olsen, known as "the Eig Swede." He is notable as being the owner of the claim on which the biggest Klondike nugget has yet been found. The lump of gold was valued at \$586.

Rejlying to a request for an estimate of the winter's gold dust output of the camp, Joe Campbell, one of the returning miners said:

"We have done a great deal of fig-All Gold creek shows

"We have done a great deal of fig-uring on that and it now appears that the output, notwithstanding the scarciod and light, will be from \$12 000,000 to \$15,000,000

L. I. Grady, formerly a banker of Fairfax, Minn., paid \$600 for the privi-lege of walking from Dawson behind a brisk dog team Muret Anderson, an elderly gentle-man of St. Louis, made the trip after much the same fashion,

100,000 KLONDIKERS

Is the Revised Estimate of the Passenger Agents of Western Lines.

Chicago. Jan. 18.—The western roads are beginning to modify their estimates of the number of people who will be bound for Alaska in the spring. The business has already begun to move in a small way, but from all of the evidence which the roads have been able to gather, the total number of tickets that will be sold on account of the Alaska business will not be over 100,000.

The estimates of some of the general passenger agents on this business wer double this, but the chances are not that 100,000 will be the outside figure.

APPLAUSE FOR DOLE.

Hawaiian President is Honored at the Baldwin Theater.

San Francisco, Jan. 18.-President Dole and party attended the Baldwin theater this evening. They occupied two proscenium boxes which were dec orated with the American and Ha-awilan flags. When the president en-tered his box and was recognized by the audience he was greeted with ap-plause from all parts of the house. He owed in acknowledgement of the com-

COL. HAY GOES TO EGYPT.

London, Jan. 18.-The United States ambassador, Col. John Hay and Mr. Spencer Eddy, his private secretary, left London today on their way to

MUSTERED OUT.

The state military board has mustered out the K. N. G. companies at Burlingame, Wellsville and Junction City, The charge is inefficiency.

CY'S MAN FRIDAY Will Be Called Into Court to Answer

Fone Ugly Charges.

Que warrante precedings to oust A. L. Perry from the office of commissioner in Contphan county have been filed in the supreme court by the atterney general. The information upon which the case is used is furnished by the chalrman of he Donlphan county Populist central committee, F. W. Elliott.

It is charged that Perry was elected as result of a conspiracy. It is also charged that voters at Donly. s charged that Perry was elected as ult of a conspiracy, a also charged that voters at Donlwere coerced and told by Cy Lechat if they would not vote for his date. Mr. Perry, he would have the face at Orr abolished, benefits being ed from such action by the town onliphan. The petition recities that costoffice has been abolished in according with that agreement. Another se is that jointlists are permitted to the in Troy as a reward for support-dr. Perry.

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is also charged that Mr. Leland se-ed certain votes by remitting delin-nt taxes against certain property ders, not named. Another charge is t certain voters were induced to stand Leland's candidate by being assured infimited credit at Mr. Leland's store, plaintiffs ask for a judgment of ter, alleging that these acts are con-try to the peace and dignity of the state Kansas.

THEY DIDN'T PAY IT.

Another Big Insurance Policy Repudiated by the N. Y. Mutual.

Washington, Jan. 18,-In the supreme court of the United States, Justice Haran has handed down an opinion in the case of A. Howard Ritter, executor of Wm. Runk, vs. the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, involving the question of whether the heirs of a man who commits suicide, when in sound mind, can recover an insurance policy. The court held that they could

It appeared from the facts that Mr. Runk a resident of Philadelphia, com-mitted suicide within less than a year after increasing his insurance to the extent of \$200,000, making an aggregate insurance of \$500,000 upon his life. Of the \$200,000, the New York company carried \$75,000, which it refused to pay, on the ground that Runk was sane when he took his life. It was shown in the trial court that he had written a letter the day before his death, stating that it was his purpose to put an end to his life, so his life insurance money could be collected for the rayment of could be collected for the payment of als debts.

said that when an insurance company entered into a contract to insure a man's life, neither party to the contract could be supposed to have suicide in contemplation, and it was not intended in entering into such a contract that the life of the person insured should be at the option of either of the parties. In at the option of either of the pittles, in fixing the premium, the company would naturally take into consideration their circumstances bearing upon the dura-tion of life, and no company would un-dertake to insure against suicide. If any should make such an attempt, it would, he said, be against public policy and would not be allowed.

Concluding, he said explicitly: "No insured person committing suicide, and found to be of sound mind, could recover upon his policy."

GLOVEMAKERS ASSIGN Werthimer & Co., of New York, Fail

for \$800,000. New York, Jan. 18.-Maurice Werthlner, Herman Steinberger and Jacob Steinberger, doing business under the same of Werthimer & Co., in this city and the Werthimer Glove Manufacturng company, at Johnstown, N. Y., have essigned to Bruno Ritcher without preerences. The liabilities are reported to e \$800,000 and the assets about the same amount.

JOLIET GIVES FRANCHISE. Street Car Franchises are Extended

for 50 Years by the Council. Joliet, Ill., Jan. 18.—By unanimous vote of the city council the Joliet City Rallway company has been given a franchise for 50 years and several miles more of streets. The company has \$500,000 invested and will put in \$200,000 more this winter. This is the first fran-chise granted under the Allen law which passed at the last regular session of the legislature. The public in general are in favor of the franchise granted.

GEN. ALGER SITS UP. His Condition is Reported as Being

Much Improved. Washington, Jan. 18 .- Secretary Aler is able to sit up for a short time, and is said to be otherwise improved

POACHINGON ROCKEFELLER

Three Men Arrested for Shooting the Standard Oil Magnate's Game.

Standard Oil Magnate's Game.

Tarrytown, N. Y., Jan. 18.—William Kreamer, August Wyland and William Herguth were caught by watchers for William Rockefeller while hunting on the Standard Oil magnate's estate in Sleepy Hollow. They had killed one rabbit and had dogs and guns.

Rockefeller owns nearly 1,000 acres of land, most of which is wood land. Rabbits, squirrels, quall and small birds abound, and many local hunters have enjoyed much sport in the territory. It is said Rockefeller's attention was brought to the matter and that he or-

brought to the matter and that he or-dered a watch kept which resulted in the arrest of the three men. The prisoners will be punished to the full extent of the law, as the magnate oes not propose to have hunters invading his estate.

MR. HARRIS' INQUIRY.

Kansas Senator Wants Some Light

on the Treasury Accounts. Washington, Jan. 18.—Senator Harris has introduced a resolution in the sen-ure directing the secretary of the treas-ury to inform the senate by whose authority the Item in the annual report authority the item in the annual report of the treasury relating to the "balance of accrued interest due the United States from the Pacific railroads on interest account" had been omitted. The preamble to the resolution relates that this item was included in the report of 1889 and that it was then shown that the accrued interest due from the railroads amounted to \$11,006,024 and since that date the matter has been omitted from the reports.

PARIS STIRRED.

Familiar Scenes Renewed in the City's Streets.

Riots Participated in by Anarchists and Students.

DREYFUS THE EXCUSE

For Disorderly Behavior on Part of Revolutionists.

Police and Military Massed to Preserve Order.

Paris, Jan. 18.-A great anti-Dreyfus ind anti-Semite meeting last night at the Tivoli Vaux hall produced extra-

The neighborhood was paraded by poce, mounted and on foot, and the rapdly growing crowd increased the exitement. At 9 o'clock on the opening of the meeting the hall was a seething sea of humanity, crowding every part, gesticulating, shouting "A bas Zola," 'Vive la armie," and "Vive la revolution sociale."

The members of the anti-Semite committee displayed banners bearing the ascription, "Death to the Jews," and

other inscriptions.

It was soon seen that the 5,000 present consisted largely of anarchists and others bent on opposing the students.

On M. Guerin, the president, proposing that the honorary presidency be conferred upon M. Rochefort and M. Drumont, a great uproar ensued, the anarchists trying to wrench the banners from the anti-Semites. Scuffes took place in which two officials were took place in which two officials were

M. Thiobaud delivered an address denouncing the Jews and urging the meeting to support the government. Tumults and fights for the banners Tumults and fights for the banners continued, with shouting, whistling and singing of "Marseillaise" and the "Carmagnole," while M. Thiebaud proceeded in a violent speech, declaring that the Dreyfus scandal was the commencement of a social revolution by a "band of scoundrels desiring to overthrow everything in order to raise a traitor."

The scene now became a saturnalia. The anarchists removed the iron staircase, giving access to the tribune so that the committee was unable to descend.

eend. Free fights began around the fings. Finally the students chased the an-archists out of the hall. The organiz-ers of the meeting then selzed the flag decorating the hall and arranged a rendezvous at the Military club, crying, "Vive l'armie." The hall partially emptied, but soon

the nan partially emption, but soon the anarchists returned, and breaking open the great doors began further fighting. It is said several were injur-ed. Finally the students were van-quished, and the anarchists were masters of the situation. The meeting broke up and the anarchists replaced the ladder and invaded the tribune, led y M. Curtoise, flourishing a red flag and all shouting "Conspuez Rochefort" oit upon Rochefort") and "Long live

The disturbances continued, the anarchists declaiming from the tribune against the army and acclaiming Drey-fus. Some of the injured people were

The interest was now transferred to he streets, where the police had been einforced by the Republican guards. At 10 o'clock large bodies of students All of the tri-color and shouting Vive 'armies," proceeding in the di-ection of the Military club in the Averection of the Military club in the Avenue de L'Opera. The troops cleared the Place de La Republique and charged the bodies of students. A large force is protecting the Military club.

By midnight those who had been arrested were released and quiet had been restored in the Place de l'Opera.

Telegrams from numerous provincial towns report student manifestations at Marseilles, where the windows of Jew-

darseliles, where the windows of Jew-sh shops were broken. At Nantes there have been some attacks on shops and synagogue. The crowd rescued those who were arrested.

ZOLA'S ARREST. Formal Complaint is Made Against the Novelist.

Paris, Jan. 18.—The minister for war, Jen. Billott has lodged with the minister of justice, M. Darlan, a formal com-plaint against M. Emile Zola and the manager of the Aurore. The complaint will be forwarded to the public prosecu-

or. The Aurore on January 13 published n open letter from M. Emile Zola to n open letter from M. Emile Zoia to resident Faure pointing out irregular lies and illegalities in the court martia f Major Count Esterhazy and formally the minister for war, General illot Mercier, Major Ravary, the in-estigating officer of conniving at the restigating officer of conniving at the rregularities, alleging that Major Paty De Clan, one of the witnesses was guilty of perjury and challenging the government to prosecute him.

PENITENTIARY FIRE. Starts in the Laundry and the Prison

Narrowly Escapes Destruction.

Fire broke out in the laundry at the state penitentiary Monday night and for a time threatened the destruction of the principal buildings at the institution. Hard work subdued the flames with but little damage.

The blaze created intense excitement among the prisoners, principally because of the fact that whenever there are any signs of fire at the penitentlary many of them anticipate an opportun ity to escape. To this class of men the lestruction of the penitentiary by fire would be hailed as a providential act.

IT COST \$1,000

To Have an Empty Treasury for Short Time. The state treasurer has paid \$108,000

ie warrants outstanding ogainst the ate which were not paid when present i because of lack of funds. About \$37,00

ed because of lick of funds. About \$7,000 remains unpaid.

The Bank of Topeka was paid a small sum in excess of \$70,000. The First National was paid \$5,354.42. The interest or profit to the Bank of Topeka amounted to \$322.41. to the first National, \$15.54. The interest on the amount outstanding will amount to about \$300, making the total amount of interest paid because of the deficit about \$1,000.

STATE HOUSE EVENTS.

Sheriff George Forsyth of St. Paul, Minn, after securing the necessary requisition papers from the governor's office has gone to Kingman to take Frank Harris into custody. Harris is wanted for criminal assault. He has given the Minnesota officers a merry chase but was finally arrested and landed in jail by the sheriff of Kingman county. He will at once be returned to Minnesota to answer for his crime.

State Bank Commissioner John W. Breidenthal has gone to Baxter Springs where he will appear in the case brought by the state against Col. Alexander Warner who is charged with receiving deposits for his bank when it was in an insolvent condition. The bank falled last summer at which time the bank commissioner took charge.

The state military board will recog-The state military board will recognize the Topeka bicycle corps organized by W. S. Eberie as a part of the K. N. G., if such action is not contrary to the law governing the military department. Attorney General Boyle has been asked for an opinion on the subject and if he finds nothing to interfere with the proposed action the signal corps will be recognized as a part of the guard and duly equipped by the state.

M. C. Kelley who was state oil inspector under Governor Morrill and as such officer failed to report the amount of moneys collected by him during the last three months of his term of office, has been called upon by State Auditor Morris to furnish a statement and report of the collections and disbursements for that period. In reply to the auditor's request Mr. Kelley writes a letter in which he explains that he has been out of the state for some time, by reason of which he was prevented from making a report. Mr. Kelley signifies his intention of transmitting the required report to the auditor within a few days. Mr. Kelley delivered up his office nearly a year ago. M. C. Kelley who was state oil in-

A few weeks ago Robert Stout engineer of the deaf and dumb school at Olathe was discharged and his assistants very promptly resigned. Since that time old engineers residing at Olathe have been running the furnaces and electric light plant at the institution. The state board of charities has elected the following persons to fill the vacancies: Chief engineer, Robert Huddleston, Burlington; assistant, George W. Lyons, Olathe; second assistant, William Watson, Marion, Stout was discharged, it is stated, because of was discharged, it is stated, because of

A company of local capitalists at Haddam, Washington county, are pre-paring to start a new state bank at that place. The blanks for a charter and other preliminary documents have been forwarded to Haddam, by the state bank commission

Clark Richardson, attorney of Anderson county, has notified Attorney General Boyle that the New York Life Insurance company is doing business in Garnett and in other places in Anderson county and says: I "I will be very glad to co-operate with the attorney general in doing whatever can be done to prosecute the agents of this company." It is extremely probable that the first prosecution against agents of the first prosecution against agents of the company will begin in that county.

Mrs. Annie L. Diggs who will become Mrs. Annie L. Diggs who will become state librarian March I, is anxious that the furnishings of the new library rooms be in keeping with the elaborate and beautiful finishings of the walls and cellings, which are receiving by far the handsomest frescoing to be found in the state house. Mrs. Diggs has appeared before the executive council asking that the state officers provide the library with new, neat, iron shelves. She said: "Those wooden shelves which we now have in the library are very good in their place, but it would be too bad to put them in the handsome new rooms. I hope the council will see their way clear to provide something better for the new rooms." better for the new rooms."

County Attorney Richardson of Anderson county has written to Attorney General Boyle in response to his circular letter inviting the co-operation of county attorneys in an effort to compel the New York Life to respect the law. Mr. Richardson pledges his support to the attorney general until the company is whipped into regard and respect for the law. He will immediately bring suits in his county for the violation of the law, and will prosecute with vigor. The county attorney of Ford county has also written to the attorney general volunteering in the work.

BABY BELL.

A Mother Deposits Her Infant in a Saloon as Payment For Drinks.

Prescott, Aria. Jan. 18.-While the Cabnet saloon was crowded with hundreds of beople, Mrs. Bell, the wife of a mining an, entered with a babe in her arr acing it on the bar before her, left with this farewell:

The father of this child deserted me and my babe, caring more for whisky than for either of us. I wish to tender now, his child, so that his appetite may be gratified to the extent of the deposit. There was a wild rush for the young-There was a wild rush for the young-er, seventy-five men coming forward ask for the waif. The probate judge as called in to settle the controversy and he has taken charge of the child.

WHAT DID IT COST? Senator Chandler Injects a Little Sar-

casm in a Telegram to Hanna. Washington, Jan. 18 .- Among" the ongratulatory telegrams received by Mark Hanna after his election to the senatorship, was one which was not given out for publication. It was sent by Senator Chandler of New Hampshire, and was as follows. "I congratulate you on this latest victory for ound money. How much?"

ANTI-SCALPING BILL. Washington, Jan. 18 .- The house com-

mittee on interstate and foreign commerce has reported the anti-scalping 5111. There were but two dissenting votes in the committee.

ARTIST LEIGHTON DEAD. Boston, Jan. 18 .- Scott Leighton, the

well known Boston artist died at the McLean insane asylum at Waverly to-Leighton's fame rested on his talent in animal painting.

Granite Tax Kettles, 58 cents. Tayman, Oberlev, Hdw. Co.

ONE MORE QUEEN

A Real Romany Sovereign to Be Crowned in Topeka.

Coronation to Take Place on May 22.

GYPSY BAND HERE

And There Will Be 800 More by Coronation Time.

in Austria, Recently. Topeka is to be honored by a most unusual event on the 22nd of next May

It will be the coronation of the queen

The New Queen's Mother Died

of the largest tribe of Gypsies in the world. The queen arrived in this city yesterday with an escort comprising between 50 and 60 members of the tribe. She is now lodged in a red and white tent at the corner of Jackson and Curtis streets in North Topeka, and will there remain until after her coronation. The



THE GYPSY QUEEN.

majority of the tribe are camped on the reform school road a short distance

majority of the tribe are camped on the reform school road a short distance from North Topeka.

The laws of the tribe prescribe that a queen shall not be crowned before attaining the age of 20 years, and on May 22 "Queen Maria" as she is called by members of the tribe will reach that age. Her coronation will take place on that day, and for a week the assembled tribes, amounting to at least 700 or 800 people, will hold festivities in honor of the event.

"Queen Maria" belongs to the Romany tribe of Gypsies, which claims to be the original Gypsy tribe and dates their lineage back to the time of the Pharaohs. For several hundred years the headquarters of the tribe have been in Austria, and there the young queen's mother died a short time age. Maria heard of her death but five days ago, and being the only daughter of the queen was in direct succession to the royal place. As soon as the news of her mother's death reached her a conference was held, and it was decided that the band should spend the winter in Topeka, and that here the coronation ceremonies should take place.

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ceremonies should take place.
Accordingly steps were taken to notify States of the coming coronation of the queen, and by this time all have beceived the news. Some of the bands have already started on the overland trip to Topeka, and by the date of the that city from an attack of gastric fether that city from Mrs. Reginald city coronation the majority of the tribe in the United States will be here. There are 1,200 members of the tribe in this

country. The queen came to this country eight months ago, and five months later was married to Gustave Stanley, a member of the band with whom she took up her residence. Stanley is an Angelia. residence. Stanley is an Australian, and his correct name is Stackovitch. The English pronunciation of the queen's name is "Fryer," and her mother was known as "Queen Sophia."
There are two Stanleys—Gustave and
Louis—and both have received considerable education in the American

erable education in the American schools, and speak the English lan-guage fluently. Of the two men, Louis Stanley has enjoyed better educational advantages, and handles much of the business of the tribe. The arrangement of the coronation ceremonles will be mainly under his charge.

Stanley is a bright, good looking young fellow, and dresses in good style. He requested that an announcement of the coming coronation be made so that the people of Topeka would not be-come curious as to the object of the band's long stay in this city.

"Queen Maria is a bright young la-dy," said he today, "and while she hasn't been in this country long enough to speak the language very well, yet she is learning rapidly. When she learns the English language it will make the fourteenth language she is able to speak. She has done little but travel over all countries since she was a little girl, and in this way learned the different tongues. She likes this country, and after the coronation will probably make her stopping place in Chicago, and stay here all the time.

and stay here all the time.

"The coronation will be a big time for the Gypsies," he continued. "There has been but one other crowning among Gypsies in this country before, and that was near St. Louis last year. But that tribe was not as big or as old as ours. We are the original Gypsies, and our flest home was in Egypt. The ancient first home was in Egypt. The ancient Egyptian language is still largely re-tained and spoken in the tribe. The

queen speaks it well.

"We will be very glad to have the people come and see the crowning of the queen. She will be crowned on her birthday, May 22 and then the festivitles will keep up for probably a week. The crowning of the Gypsy is the biggest happening that we queen is the biggest happening that we

Stanley says that after the corona-tion of the queen, the tribe will travel overland to Omaha to be present during the Transmississippi International Exposition.

Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment gives instant relief. It allays inflammation and heals. It is prompt in its action and positive in its effect. It is the kind that cures without pain or discomfort. It is for piles only. 50c.

Olof Ekberg, merchant tailor, 713 Kansas avenue, first-class suit of clothes for \$25.

The worst cough can be cured by the prompt use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

DISPLAY PAID MORTGAGES GRAND COUCE. One County Will Decorate a Room With Them at Omaha.

Omaha. Neb., Jan. 18.—The citizens of York county have requested that the management of the Transmississippl exposition. In alloting space to them for an exhibit, provide walls which they can paper with cancelled mortgages for 1897.

It is explained that these poles are Greater New York Finds the Expenses of Government

Enormously Increased by the It is explained that these notes are usually of the finest lithograph work and printed in different colors, and the general effect may be made pleasing to the eye as well as being witness to the unparalleled prosperity that is visiting that section of the state.

Nearly \$120,000 were paid in excess of the amount represented by mortgages filed in York county alone. Van Wyck Tammany Crowd.

FAR BEYOND LIMIT

Expected or Estimated by Citizens and Voters.

The Budget Will Reach at Least \$100,000,000.

Young Man Blows Baby's Head New York, Jan. 18.-The consideration of the budget for the greater city has begun in earnest by the board of

It foreshadows an enormous total perhaps \$100,000,000, and that the cost of the government will be immensely increased instead of being decreased, as expected by the act of consolidation. For the mayor's office, there was an increase of from \$25,000 to \$30,000. Mayor He was infatuated with the daughter of | Van Wyck explained that he was compelled to have a large clerical force so that all warrants and stocks and bonds

William Kimbrel, a neighboring farmer, who disliked Walker and attempted to proheit the young woman from going with him. They succeeded in carrying which he has to sign, should be properwith him. They succeeded in carrying on a clandestine courtship, but the trate father stepped in one night and made his daughter, who had started to a literary society with Walker, leave the young man and go home. Walker also went home, but was raging mad.

He got down an old, rusty, muzzle-loading shotgan, and after inquiring among the neighbors as to the number of shot necessary to kill a man, loaded the gun and went to Kimbrel's home. He called the jun with the evident intention of shooting him. Kimbrel's wife, carrying a baby in her arms, stepped to the door as the gun was fired. Kimbrel escaped unharmed, but the baby's head was blown off. For this murder the boy was sent to the penitentlary. ly entered. But the extraordinary increase in patronage, caused by the charter, began to be seen when the figures for the local legislative assembly were presented. The item to compare with was the \$90,000 allowed the common council in

\$90,000 allowed the common council in the budget adopted by theStrong ad-ministration for 1897. City Clerk P. J. Scully asked for \$200,000, made up in this way: Council salaries, \$68,000; aldermen's salaries, \$87,000, and the remainder in city and borough clerks' salaries. In addition to these salaries, etc., came the demands of the borough pres-idents for their own pay and for staffs of clerks.

of clerks.
Every division of the new gorarn-ment will have branch offices and clerks in the boroughs as well as special clerks in the main office. The total for general administration auditing bucollection of taxes, rev the like, is estimated at 5770,423.75.

HE PLAYED THE DEVIL.

A Son of the Paster Terrifles the Congregation.

Chicago, Jan. 18 .- A special to the Pimes-Herald from Bourbon, Ind.,

Convention to Be His Guests.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 18.—A convention having for its object the furthering of the Nicaragua canal project convened here yesterday. About 100 delegates, the appointees of governors, mayors of cities and commercial bodies of the south and west, were in attendance. The convention was promoted by officials of the Kansas City. Pittsburg & Guif railroad. J. N. Smithee, editor of the Little Rock, Ark., Gazette, cafled the convention to order and ex-Governor W. M. Fishback of Arkansas was made chairman.

The feature of the day's proceedings was an address on the Nicaragua canal by A. E. Stillwelf, greeident of the Phrisburg & Golf road, at the conclusion of which Mr. Stillwell invited all the delegates to take a trip to Port Arthur at the expense of his road. The request was accepted by the convention and the delegates will probably leave here on Wednesday evening. Rev. Mr. Akin, pastor of the flock of Bethel church, on Sunday night, took for his theme "His Satanic Majesty." He is an eloquent man and he painted He is an eloquent man and he painted the arch-fiend in vivid colors. At the climax of the description a being, dressed to represent a devil, with large head and switching tall, ambied up the aisle, blowing tall, ambied and I want all af you."

The audience became panic stricken, Men, women and children were hurled to the floor and trampled upon in the Noted Opera Composer Near

mad rush for the door. In the confus-ion the stove was upset and the build-ing caught fire. Before the horrified members regained their senses the fire had made such headway that all athad made such headway that all ac-tempts to save the church were in vain. George Akin, son of the pastor, con-fessed that he, with the help of other boys rigged up a devil suit, and know-ing the subject of his father's sermon, concealed himself behind a chair and awaited the arrival of the audience.

about a week ago hoping that the southern atmosphere would benefit the weil known composer. Mr. DeKoven had just undergone a very delicate op-eration and was in a debilitated condi-HANNA'S TROUBLES BEGIN. SUIT AGAINST LAWRENCE. Committee Has Been Appointed to Investigate His Election. The Attorney General Will Try to

Columbus, O., Jan. 18.—Speaker Mason of the house of representatives has appointed the committee to investigate the alleged attempt to bribe Representative that alleged attempt to bribe Representatives A. Hanna for senator. The committee is composed of Representatives Rutan of Carroll county, Spellmyer of Hamilton, Boxwell of Warren, Rankin of Fayette and Kenny of Mercer.

Spellmyer and Kenny are Democrats and voted for McKisson for senator. The other three members are Republican, but Rutan voted for McKisson, making the committee an anti-Hanna committee. The committee met and elected Mr. Rufan chairman and Mr. Spellmyer secretary. A sub-committee was also appointed to call on the investigation committee of the senate and arrange for a joint assiston. The attorney general will file in the su-preme court Wednesday a suit to recover rom the city of Lawrence \$100.000 in bonds ssued to aid in the construction of the tate university, but later repudiated by the city.

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800 and the suit will be brought to cover both principal and interest. The arc 100 bonds and 1.300 coupons attached, each of which is a separate cause of action, making a total of 1.00 causes in the case. This will be the largest case ever filed in the supreme court.

SIX CENTS APART. Coal Miners and Operators Trying to

Chicago, Jan. Is.—The interstate joint convention of bituminous coal miners and operators assembled today prepared to do business. The state delegations had been thoroughly organized and committees had been named. The miners made no attempt to conceal the fact that what they want is an advance throughout the field of 10 cents per ton. The operators are far from agreeing with the operatives on this point and say a 4 cent advance is about what may be expected.

The morning session was of only a half hour's duration. Get Together at Chicago.

HORNLESS REINDEER.

says the petition, 'was coerced in giv-ing testimony detrimental to her hus-band. In making application for his pardon we do so hoping to see a great wrong righted and a husband and wife-reunited." 500 of Them Will Soon Leave Norway for the United States.

Washington, Jan. 18—A telegram was received at the war department today from Dr. Jackson at Trondulem, Norway, stating that Mr. Kileman was on his way from the interior with 500 fine reindeer, which he had purchased, with a suitable number of sleds and drivers. The deer have all been dehorned, so that they may be safely shipped. The signers of the petition are as follows: S. L. Still, Samuel Feldner, Fred S. L. Still, Samuel Feldner, Fred Hodgins, Abe J. August, S. C. Jones, Harry Lindsay, H. B. Howe, W. McKi-ley, Wood Fowler, Wm. Brott, L. Blackman, Dr. F. H. Martin, A. Mas-sey, William Archer, George Wagner, L. T. Yount, C. M. C. Holt, W. H. Johnson, P. Heinz, T. F. Bushnell, F. N. Irving, J. W. Griffin, J. C. Nicely, C. C. Lamb, F. M. Hentig, C. C. Price, Rob-ert Knesla and Mrs. L. E. Thorpe.

Kansans in Washington.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Louis L. Steele, of Lawrence, Kan., and Lew W. Sargent, of Manchester, O. T., were admitted to practice before the interior department.

Miss Maud W. Herrell, of Kansus, who was appointed copyist in the patent office, has declined to serve, owing to liness in her family.

Judge S. R. Peters, W. C. Perry and J. E. Lambert, of Kansus, appeared before the house judiciary committee this morning in favor of the bill dividing the state into two judicial districts.

Bethany College, Lindsborg, Conservatory of Music. Have you heard of ft? Library hall, 22nd,